

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
CHARLOTTE DIVISION**

**ELECTRONIC PAYMENT  
PROVIDERS, INC. d/b/a  
BILLINGTREE,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**S&R MANAGEMENT GROUP, LLC  
d/b/a A&D GROUP, KEVIN SUGG,  
and JOHN SUGG,**

**Defendants.**

**Civil Action No. 3:16-CV-799-RJC-DSC**

**ORDER**

**THIS MATTER** is before the Court following filing of Plaintiff's "Affidavit of Christopher D. Tomlinson Regarding Expenses" (document #20).

On May 18, 2017, the Court granted Plaintiff's Motion to Compel Discovery (document #16). See "Order" (document #18) (also ordering Plaintiff to "file an affidavit of its reasonable expenses incurred in making this Motion, including attorneys' fees").

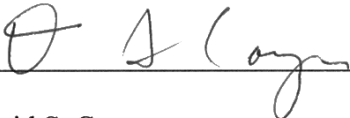
On May 23, 2017, Defendants filed a "Response to Show Cause Order" (document #19).

On May 24, 2017, Plaintiff filed its Affidavit. Having carefully considered the Affidavit, Defendants' "Response ...," the record, and authorities, the Court finds that Plaintiff has incurred \$4,387.50 in reasonable expenses, including attorneys' fees, in making its Motion to Compel.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that Defendants and Defendants' counsel are jointly liable for and shall immediately pay to Plaintiff the amount of \$4,387.50, representing Plaintiff's reasonable expenses incurred in making its Motion to Compel, including attorneys' fees.

**SO ORDERED.**

Signed: June 13, 2017

  
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David S. Cayer  
United States Magistrate Judge

